

Agenda

Education Opportunity Gap Oversight and Accountability Committee (EOGOAC)

January 12, 2012

12:00-3:00 p.m.

John L. O'Brien Building, Room B-15
Capitol Campus, Olympia, Washington

- 12:00 Smarter Balanced Assessment Consortium (SBAC) Bias and Sensitivity Guidelines, Alan Burke & Mike Middleton, OSPI
- 12:30 *McCleary vs. State* Update, Shawn Lewis, OSPI
- 12:45 Compensation Technical Working Group Summary and Request for Input, Maria Flores, OSPI
- 1:15 ESEA Waiver Application, Bob Harmon, OSPI
- 1:45 Innovative Schools, Gregory Eisnaugle, Tacoma Public Schools, and Erin Jones, OSPI
- 2:15 Public Comment
- 2:30 Expanded EOGOAC Report to the Legislature, Erin Jones, OSPI
- 3:00 Adjourn

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Oversight Committee Web site: <http://www.k12.wa.us/AchievementGap/default.aspx>

Charge for the Committee:

1. **Identify, research, and inform:** Identify, share and advocate for strategies that work to reduce the achievement gap, with a cultural competence lens.
2. **Examine and recommend:** Review and recommend policy and strategies to the State Legislature, OSPI, PESB, and SBE in the following areas:
 - Supporting and facilitating parent and community involvement and outreach;
 - Identifying data elements and systems needed to monitor progress in closing the gap
 - Enhancing the cultural competency of current and future educators and the cultural relevance of curriculum and instruction
 - Expanding pathways and strategies to prepare and recruit diverse teachers and administrators
 - Recommending current programs and resources that should be redirected to narrow the gap
 - Making closing the achievement gap part of the school and school district improvement process
 - Exploring innovative school models that have shown success in closing the achievement gap
 - Health and well-being
 - Post-secondary education and job training
 - Early Learning – seamless birth to 20 support continuum
3. **Monitor:** Follow-up with recommendations made to State Legislature, OSPI, PESB, and SBE by the committee.

Deadlines:

- December 2011: Draft of Report to Governor's Office and Legislature
- December 2011: New recommendations to OSPI, SBE, PESB.
- January 2012: Report to Governor's Office and Legislature